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Ex-Attorney General Miller Denies
Testimony of John Wurts—Hos-
kins on Stand.

This morning's session of the hearing before the House Committee on the Judiciary of the impeachment case against Judge Charles Swayne, of Florida, opened with the testimony of Robert A. Boone, a witness for the defense, in regard to a letter he was charged with writing. Mr. Boone denounced the letter, in which the contempt proceedings against C. D. Hoskins were urged, as a forgery.

The witness said he never wrote the letter, nor authorized it. The signature is affixed with a rubber stamp, but Boone said it had been written and signed without his knowledge or authority.

Sting in the Letter.

This letter, addressed to the law firm of Tunison & Loftus, contains the following paragraph:

"I feel sure that we have them coming our way now and if we can have C. D. Hoskins attacked for contempt it will break the old man down sure."

Boone was the moving spirit in the Hoskins' bankruptcy proceedings, which the prosecution of Judge Swayne declares to have been oppressive and corrupt.

Swayne's Hotel Bill.

P. W. Chase, manager of the National Hotel, of Tyler, Texas, testified that Judge Swayne was a guest at the hotel in December, 1900. He remained there twenty-six days, paying at the rate of \$2.50 a day. For the judge's expenses on each of these days the Government paid \$10.

W. H. Hoskins, whose bankruptcy proceedings form an important feature of the case, testified to the importance of the turpentine business he conducted at Port Jackson, Fla. The bankruptcy proceedings stopped the business for forty-one days. During that time, the busiest season of the year, he was permitted to do no work.

Wanted to Pay Debt.

"I had the money to pay every cent I owed," said the witness. "I wanted to pay, but Judge Swayne would not give me a trial."

"Why didn't you give bond at first?" asked Mr. Higgins.

"Because I wanted to pay," said Hoskins.

"You labored under the delusion," injected Representative Palmer, "that if you owed a debt and wanted to pay it you should be allowed that privilege."

"I am an ignorant man," said Hoskins, simply; "that was what I thought."

Ex-Attorney General Heard.

W. H. H. Miller, of Indiana, Attorney General of the United States during the Administration of President Harrison, was the next witness. He held that office at the time Judge Swayne was first appointed to the Federal bench.

He said his attention had been called to the testimony of John Wurts, a witness for the prosecution. The witness said he had never told Mr. Wurts he would be appointed judge of the district court of the northern district of Florida. "Mr. Wurts is mistaken," said Mr. Miller.

He denied most vigorously the statement of Mr. Wurts that he had been impressed upon Wurts the necessity of securing convictions in election fraud cases.

Mr. Miller's Denial.

"I never made such a statement or implication," said Mr. Miller. "Had I done so it would have been a direct insult to him and a direct disgrace to me. I am as confident I never made such a suggestion as that I did not require a pecuniary compensation for the office."

Election Frauds Trials.

Ezra P. Axtell, of Jacksonville, Fla., gave evidence as to the trial of election fraud cases of 1892. At that time the witness was assistant United States attorney, and aided in the prosecution of these cases. His testimony contradicted that of John Wurts.

Board and Lodging.

Mrs. Gordon Russell, wife of Representative Russell, of Tyler, Tex., testified Judge Swayne had lived for a time in her house. This was in January, 1900. He was there from four to six weeks, and paid for room, board, and attendance at the rate of \$1.25 a day. For these days Judge Swayne charged the Government for expenses at the rate of \$10 a day.

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COHEN—On Thursday, November 24, 1901, at 10 p. m., MORRIS COHEN, beloved husband of Henrietta Cohen, in his sixty-fourth year, of a pneumonia, at his residence, 1130 Eighth Street northwest, Sunday, at 9:30 a. m., after a long illness.

PEACOCK—On Thursday, November 24, 1901, at 10 p. m., LUCY PEACOCK, in her seventy-ninth year, of a pneumonia, at her residence, 1130 Eighth Street northwest, Sunday, at 9:30 a. m., after a long illness.

HAYES—On Thursday, November 24, 1901, at 10 p. m., WILLIAM H. HAYES, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hayes, in his twenty-third year, of a pneumonia, at his residence, 1130 Eighth Street northwest, Sunday, at 9:30 a. m., after a long illness.

SANDBURY—At Forestville, Md., on Wednesday, November 23, 1901, ALFRED HEN-SON, beloved husband of Alice Mary Sandbury, in his forty-ninth year, of a pneumonia, at his residence, 1130 Eighth Street northwest, Sunday, at 9:30 a. m., after a long illness.

IN MEMORIAM.

MARKS—In sad but loving remembrance of our darling little MAE, who died three years ago today, November 26, 1898, aged three years and five months.

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CLARKE CLAIMS SUM OF \$10,000

Waggaman's Father-in-
Law Files Papers Today.

CLAIM REPRESENTS A NOTE

Clarke Was Accommodation Maker.
Note Indorsed and Discounted
by Waggaman.

A claim of \$10,000 against Thomas E. Waggaman was filed with Referee Andrew Y. Bradley this morning by Attorney Alexander Porter Morse, who represents Dr. D. B. Clarke, Waggaman's father-in-law.

This claim represents a note of which Dr. Clarke was the accommodation maker and which was indorsed and discounted by Waggaman. This is the second claim filed by Dr. Clarke against his bankrupt son-in-law. The first being for several hundred dollars given Waggaman to be used for improvement on Maryland property belonging to Dr. Clarke. In his proof of claim Dr. Clarke stated that the improvements had not been made.

Other Claims Filed.

Other claims filed with the referee yesterday afternoon and this morning were those of Emma Mordecai, for \$2,655; Augusta Mordecai, \$250; Kate Coomes, \$500; Bettie Kirkman, \$2,300.

One week from today, on December 3, a meeting of the Waggaman creditors will be held to make another attempt to get a trustee for the bankrupt estate.

H. Rozier Dulany, the commandant at Idiotashan, who it is alleged, is on bad terms with General Stossel, has been ordered to keep the last drop of blood in shed.

TOKYO BELIEVES

SIEGE NEARS END

TOKYO, Nov. 25.—It is believed that important developments in the siege of Port Arthur are impending. The belief seems to be based mainly on the unofficial reports of the successful progress of the sapping against the Erlungshan, Sungshushan, and Tunglikwan forts.

The general staff makes public no news, except that prisoners say Stossel is inclined to surrender to save the lives of the surviving members of the garrison, but General Salmoff, the commandant at Idiotashan, who it is alleged, is on bad terms with General Stossel, has been ordered to keep the last drop of blood in shed.

FOUR ATTACHES

ARE CALLED HOME

Four American military attaches with the armies in Manchuria have, upon recommendation of senior officers in the field, been withdrawn and ordered back to this country.

Lieut. Walter S. Schuyler and Capt. Carl Reichmann have been detached from duty with the Russian forces. Capt. John F. Morrison and Peyton C. March are recalled from duty with the Japanese armies.

Besides the medical representatives, there are left but two staff officers each, with the Russian and Japanese field forces.

For the past few months, the United States has had more representatives with the belligerent forces than any other country.

ALLOWED TO REAP REWARD.

Policeman J. S. Bryan, of the Tenth precinct, who was given \$20 by Prince Fushimi for the services he rendered the distinguished Japanese in escorting him through the city, has been permitted to reap the reward.

The reward, less 20 per cent of it, deposited to the credit of the clothing and helmet fund of the force.

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JAPANESE GUNS WRECK A BIG RUSSIAN FORT

(Continued from First Page.)

has been sharp skirmishing, in which there were several casualties, but neither side has gained any advantage.

English correspondents on the Japanese side say that the situation is unaltered. The Russians occasionally attack isolated points, but gain no advantage. The Russian cannonade has lately daily lessened in regularity and intensity.

Marshal Oyama and his generals are confident that the Japanese positions cannot be successfully assaulted whatever reinforcements the Russians bring against them.

USE OF MAILS DENIED

AMERICAN SILVER CO.

Scheme Was to Engage Services of
Traveling Salesmen, Who First
Deposited Fifty Dollars.

A fraud order was issued this morning against the American Silver Company of Buffalo and New York, of which C. C. Barnes and J. N. Klein are the managers.

The scheme of operation was to engage traveling salesmen. Advertisements were made for bright, hustling young men who could make great money by selling, at a salary of \$15 a week and a large commission, a fine line of silverware alleged to be of a certain famous brand.

It was shown in the evidence that the American Silver Company of Buffalo and New York was in no way doing business with this firm, or was it connected with the American Silver Company of Bristol, Conn., a reputable concern.

Statements from half a dozen young men who had been duped into paying \$50 as a binder on the contract they signed were submitted in evidence. One young man from Toronto went to Buffalo and Buffalo and New York was in no way doing business with this firm, or was it connected with the American Silver Company of Bristol, Conn., a reputable concern.

There had been an interview with Barnes. Before he left he had signed a contract and deposited \$50. His sample case was to follow him back to his home. When it finally came he discovered that the samples it contained were worthless. An effort to recover his money from the company failed.

MORNING FIRE BURNS

A CATHOLIC CHURCH

St. Mary's, in Branford, Conn., Was
Dedicated Less Than a
Year Ago.

BRANFORD, Conn., Nov. 25.—St. Mary's Catholic Church, which has been a member of years in building, and which was dedicated less than a year ago, was destroyed by fire this morning.

The church contained some valuable memorial windows and an altar which was presented by Mrs. Margaret Plant, the widow of the late Henry B. Plant.

The fire evidently started in the corner of the building near the tower and apparently was caused by a short circuit of electric wires. The parish house next door and a business block on the other side caught fire several times, but were saved.

DEATH RECORD.

Boggs, Walter N., col., 2, 203 8th st. nw. Brooks, Andrew J., col., 72, 128 27th st. nw. Carter, George A., white, 11 mos., 911 26th st. Davis, Wilbur, col., 34, 129 Blagden's court. Hopkins, Isaac C., white, 24, Providence Hos. Jackson, Jennie, col., 34, 66 S st. nw. Jones, Mary, col., 31, 129 Blagden's court. Jones, Henry, col., 40, Freedman's Hospital. Koomer, Miles R., jr., white, 2 hours, 140 Stanton st. nw. Mahoney, Eliza, col., 27, 1929 Half st. sw. Raffae, Arthur, white, 25, Emergency Hosp. White, George, white, 25, Wash. Ar. Hosp. Winfield, Edward P., white, 25, Benning, D.C.

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French and American Procedure in Conflict

Aguria Case in Paris Develops Singular Defect in Preparation of Petitioner to Prove Claim in Court.

PARIS, Nov. 25.—A remarkable case in which the laws of France and America are opposed opened in the Paris courts yesterday.

The case has resulted from a claim brought by the widow of Gregorio Aguria, of New York. She makes claim to her fortune on the ground that it is a heritage for her daughter, Oria, left by her husband's mother.

In her deposition Mrs. Aguria states that Oria was born in New York in 1858, two months before Gregorio Aguria's death.

Her claim is opposed by her daughter's cousins, Antonio and Francesca Aguria, who deny that the child was born before her father's death and attack the child's legitimacy. If they can prove their claims they will inherit the fortune.

A feature of the first appearance of the case in court yesterday was the raising of the question of legitimacy by a demand for a certificate of Oria's birth, which is obligatory in such cases in the French courts. Mrs. Aguria explained that she had never heard of such a necessity as a certificate in the United States, nor had her husband known of such a thing existing. As a result she had no certificate to produce. She added that she could prove the child's legitimacy according to the laws of New York State.

The case was then adjourned until next week.

NEW FEE SCHEDULE FOR SURVEY WORK

It is more than probable that the District Commissioners will soon adopt a new schedule of prices to be charged by the District Surveyor for surveying done for private parties.

The new schedule submitted to the Commissioners by District Surveyor H. B. Looker, charges \$5 for the survey of each city lot and \$8 for the survey of each county lot. For groups of lots, on a per diem basis, \$20 per day will be charged for survey work.

Mr. Looker further asserts that, last year, the deficit in his office from doing work at a greater cost than was paid for it amounted to \$5,801 for surveys alone.

The new schedule of fees, it is thought, will bring in a revenue of about \$5,000 per year.

MEN LOATH TO ENLIST IN THE ARTILLERY

Rather discouraging reports have been received at the War Department regarding the re-enlistments of the Coast Artillery during the three years ended June 30.

Of the seventy-two companies thus far heard from it is shown that only 20 per cent of the men re-enlisted during this time. Only 38 per cent of the qualified gunners re-enlisted, notwithstanding the increased pay granted gunners for the purpose of keeping them in the service.

Officers of the Artillery Corps do not think that sufficient inducements are offered gunners to remain in the army, and it is probable a new scheme will be devised which will make possible the payment of more money to gunners.

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WILL GIVE HEARING TO STEAM ENGINEERS

The District Commissioners will grant a public hearing to the International Union of Steam Engineers, which body wishes to voice its sentiments concerning the proposed changes in the office of the inspector of steam boilers, making the office a salaried one instead of being dependent on the fees collected by the inspector from owners of boilers visited.

Commissioner Macfarland, in recommending the granting of the hearing, set no date for it. It will probably be held next week.

CHURCH NOTICES.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, 8th and H sts. nw. Rev. Samuel H. Greene, D. D., pastor.—4:30 a. m., Sunday school; 7:30 a. m., church service. Public worship, with sermon by the pastor, 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Teachers' Bible Club, Thursday, 8 p. m. Church prayer meeting, 8 p. m. Evening service, Tuesday, 8 p. m., and Sunday, 8:45 p. m. All are cordially invited.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—First Church of Christ, 10 a. m., Wednesday, 11 a. m., Sunday, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Subject, "God the Only Cause and Creator." "God the Only Cause and Creator." Public cordially invited. All seats free. Reading rooms in the Traders' National Bank Building, corner Pennsylvania ave. and 14th st. nw.

SECOND CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, 14th st. nw.—Services Sunday, 11 a. m. Subject, "God the Only Cause and Creator." Sunday school, 10:15 a. m.; Wednesday, 8 p. m. Reading room, Traders' National Bank Building, 10th st. and Pennsylvania ave. and 14th st. nw.

EVANGELICAL CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH—Scottish Rite Hall, 107 G st. nw. Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The subject of the morning service, "How to Overcome Poverty." All should attend these lectures. At the Sunday evening service testimonial will be given to the students of sickness being healed. Bible 7:30. Hall centrally located, seats comfortable, free of all worldly influences. The doors of the church will be open for members of its members free, thus combining God's love with humanity.

COLORADO EVANGELICAL CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH—In Gray's Hall, in Old Fellows' Building, on M st. nw., between 14th and 15th sts., at 2 p. m., Elder ROLAND E. HAZARD will deliver a lecture on the subject of "The New Birth." All invited.

SPIRITUALISM—Mrs. H. M. NOLAN, of 906 O st. nw., holds religious services every evening, 8 o'clock, at Spanish War Veterans Hall, 713 6th st. nw. Messages given.

THE REV. THOMAS J. BROWN, rector of the Church of Our Merciful Saviour, Louisville, Ky., will preach